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SUBJECT: NARCOTICS CONTROL PROGRAM AFGHANISTAN

REF: A. STATE 117451, B. BONN 8881, C. GENEVA 2945

1. AS A FOLLOW- UP TO THE FONOFF CALL REPORTED REF B, EMBOFF DISCUSSED AID TO AFGHANISTAN FOR NARCOTICS CONTROL, AND SPECIFICALLY THE PROPOSED JULY 24-25 GENEVA MEETING ON THIS SUBJECT, WITH WENZEL (AID MINISTRY - SOUTH ASIA OFFICE.) WENZEL SAID THAT THE FONOFF WOULD PROBABLY PROVIDE FRG REPRESENTATION, EITHER FROM BONN OR FROM THE PERMANENT DELEGATION IN GENEVA, BUT THAT THE AID MINISTRY WAS NOT PLANNING ON SENDING A REPRESENTATIVE TO THE GENEVA MEETING. FOR THE MOST PART, WENZEL CONFIRMED THE AID MINISTRY' S DISINCLINATION TO CONSIDER ANY NEW BILATERAL AID FOR AFGHANISTAN IN 1974 AS WELL AS THE CONTINUED AID MINISTRY' S INTENTION TO TERMINATE THE FRG POLICE PROGRAM IN AFGHANISTAN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER THE END OF 1974. SHE ALSO CONFIRMED, HOWEVER, THAT THIS SUBJECT HAD BEEN REOPENED BY THE FONOFF AND WAS AGAIN UNDER CONSIDERATION.

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2. IN AN APPARENT REFERENCE TO THE UN PROGRAM ACTIVITIES MENTIONED IN PARA 3 REF C, WENZEL NOTED THAT THERE WAS GROWING INTEREST WITHIN THE AID MINISTRY AND THE INTERIOR MINISTRY IN SENDING THE LONG-ANTICIPATED FRG NARCOTICS CONTROL EXPERT TO AFGHANISTAN " UNDER THE UN FLAG", RATHER THAN ATTACHED TO THE FRG EMBASSY.

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